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For The Northern Mariana Islands  
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	Civil No. 08-0009
	)	
Respondent	)	
	)	
v.	)	ORDER DENYING MOTION
	)	FOR APPOINTMENT OF
ERIC JOHN TUDELA MAFNAS,	)	COUNSEL FOR 28 U.S.C.
	)	§ 2255 MOTION
Petitioner	)	
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THE COURT has received three filings from petitioner Mafnas. The first seeks appointment of counsel to represent him in a 28 U.S.C. § 2255 proceeding, and the other two request orders from the court directing his former retained counsel to turn over to him all his files in their custody, including their work product. It is necessary only to address the first motion.

